

PATENT  
Customer No. 22,852  
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
Charles Eric HUNTER et al. ) Group Art Unit: 2167  
Application No.: 09/493,854 ) Examiner: G. O'Connor  
Filed: January 28, 2000 )  
For: MUSIC DISTRIBUTION SYSTEMS )

**Box Fee Amendment**  
Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

**AMENDMENT**

In reply to the Office Action dated March 29, 2002, the period for reply having been extended through July 29, 2002 by a request for extension and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, please reexamine and reconsider the application in view of the appended remarks and amendments. Prior to entry of this response, claims 42-51 are pending in this application. Please amend the application as follows:

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please amend claims 42, 44, 47, and 50, as follows:

42. (Amended) A system for recording music, comprising:

a plurality of user stations at dispersed customer locations, the user stations including means for receiving and recording transmitted music selections;